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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 05225.0259

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Tomohiro SAITO et al.) Group Art Unit: 2891
Application No.: 10/770,520) Examiner: Caridad Everhart
Filed: February 4, 2004) Confirmation No. 1739
For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING)
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES)

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action mailed October 25, 2006. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

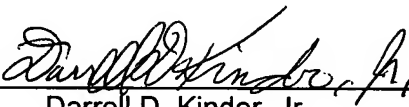
The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	13	-	22	0	x \$ 50	\$ 0
Indep.	8	-	4	4	x \$200	800.00
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s)					+\$360	0
Subtotal						\$ 800.00
Reduction by 1/2 if small entity						- 0
TOTAL						\$ 800.00

- ☒ A fee of \$800.00 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.
- ☒ A check for \$800.00 to cover the above fee(s) is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: January 25, 2006

By: 
Darrell D. Kinder, Jr.
Reg. No. 57,460



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AMENDMENT

In reply to the Office Action mailed October 25, 2005¹, the period for response to which extends through January 25, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper beginning on page 2.

Remarks follow the amendment sections of this paper beginning on page 12.